

*Lending a Hand  
Since 1956*

# ANNUAL REPORT 2017



**CECO**  
San Diego County Employees'  
Charitable Organization





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# Message from President

# 01



Welcome to the San Diego County Employees' Charitable Organization's (CECO) first annual report! CECO is excited to share its accomplishments with our members and the community at large in this new format.

2017 was another good year for CECO. Through the efforts of the Board of Directors (see page 5) and generosity of County employees and retirees, CECO was able to award \$179,000 in grants amongst 96 local non-profit programs (see pages 2 and 3) and the Employee Crisis Fund. Grants awarded ranged from \$123 to \$6,498, funding a diverse items including food, medical equipment, books, kitchen appliances, greenhouse and garden supplies, and sports equipment.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the County employees and retirees who contributed to CECO in 2017. You are the reason that the tradition of ***lending a hand*** is going on 62 years strong in the County of San Diego. A special thank you goes out to the Board of Directors, Grant Allocation Committee, Awards Breakfast Committee, and Executive Committee for volunteering your time and talent to CECO's efforts. You continue to inspire me with your passion, energy and commitment. We will continue to do great things together in the future!

I also want to thank the programs throughout our region who are not only striving to make our diverse communities healthier and safer, but ensuring that the population they serve have an opportunity to thrive. CECO is proud to be your partner in making San Diego a great place to live for all its residents.

When I think of what CECO accomplished in 2017, and in fact since its humble beginnings as a grass roots organization in 1956, the County motto fittingly comes to mind: "The Noblest Motive is the Public Good." It truly makes me proud to be a public servant in the best county in the nation.

Lastly, I encourage you to learn more about CECO at [www.sdceco.org](http://www.sdceco.org) and to connect with us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/sdceco56](https://www.facebook.com/sdceco56).

**Mavette Trinidad Sadile**  
President, CECO



# 2017 DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS

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As a result of members' contributions and proceeds in 2016, CECO was able to distribute nearly **\$179,000** amongst **96** local non-profit programs and the Employee Crisis Fund. The Employee Crisis Fund is available to assist eligible County of San Diego employees and retirees who are experiencing a one-time financial crisis. In 2017, **seven** employees combined were provided **\$5,765** for one-time assistance.

## TOTAL AMOUNT DISTRIBUTED

# \$178,630

# 185

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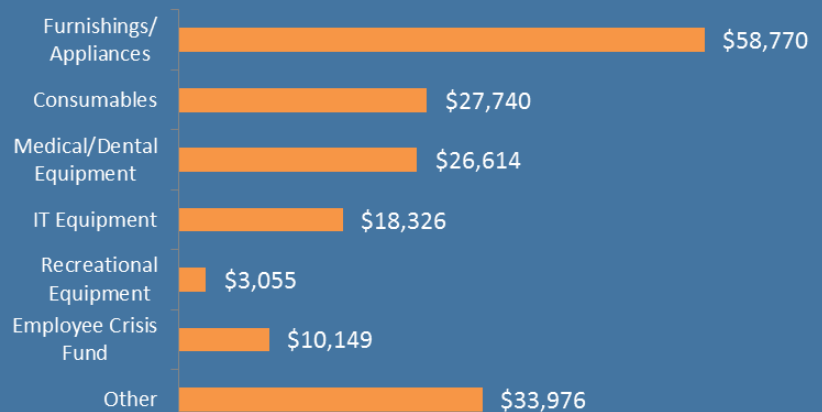


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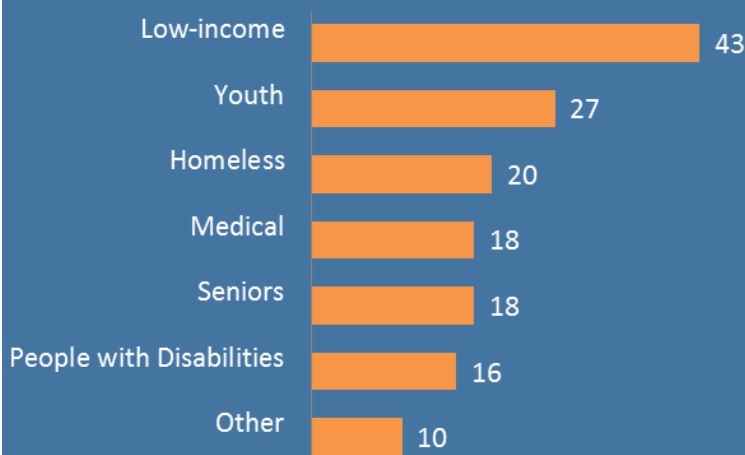
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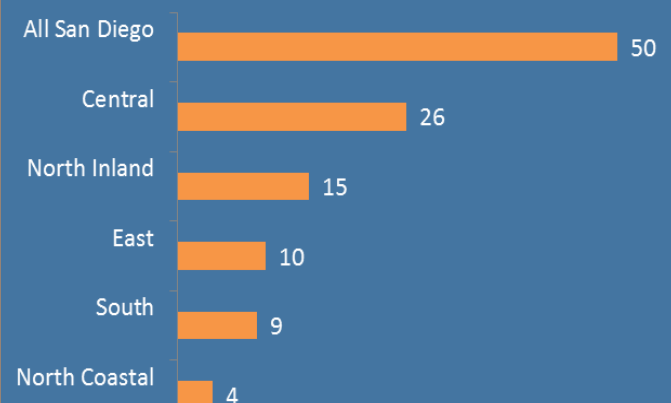
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## NUMBER OF AWARDS BY POPULATION SERVED



## NUMBER OF AWARDS BY REGION



\*AWARDS MAY FALL INTO ONE OR MORE REGIONS AND POPULATION SERVED

# 2017 GRANT RECIPIENTS

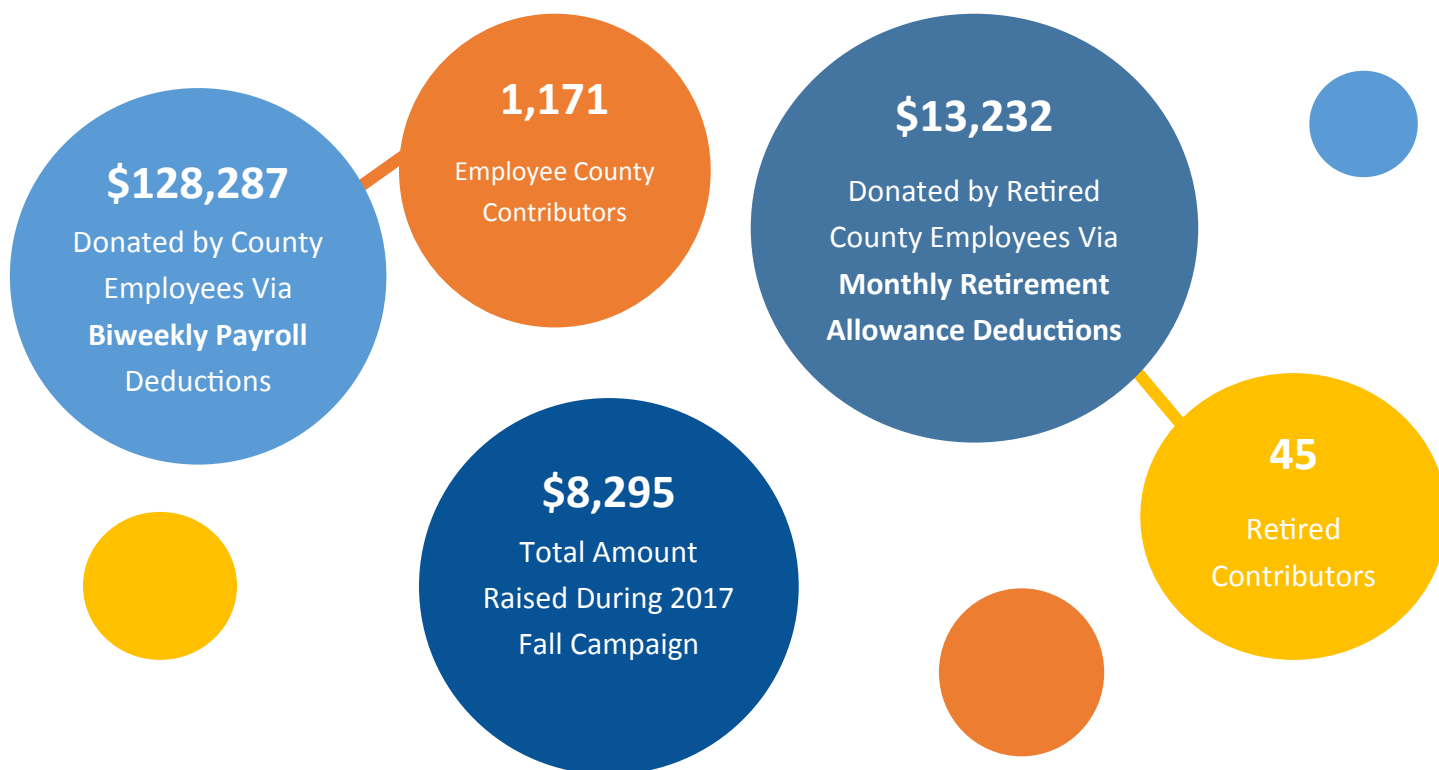
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CECO Employee Crisis Fund	Feeding San Diego	San Diego Children's Choir
A Step Beyond	Fraternity House, Inc.	San Diego Council on Literacy
Able-Disabled Advocacy, Inc.	Gently Hugged	San Diego Family Care, dba Mid-City Community Clinic Pediatrics
Access Youth Academy	Good Shepherd Community Projects, Inc.	San Diego Freedom Ranch
Alliance Health Clinic	Grossmont Hospital Foundation	San Diego Human Dignity Foundation
Alpha Project for the Homeless	Home of Guiding Hands	San Diego Humane Society
American Academy of Pediatrics	Housing Development Partners	San Diego Hunger Coalition
Blind Community Center of San Diego	Interfaith Shelter Network of San Diego	San Diego Young Artists Music Academy, Inc.
Boys & Girls Club of Vista	Jewish Family Service of San Diego	San Diego Youth Services
Boys & Girls Club of Greater San Diego	Jonathan Tarr Foundation	San Ysidro Health Center
Boys & Girls Clubs of North County	Kiwanis Club of Alpine Foundation, Inc.	SAY San Diego
Burn Institute	La Jolla Meals on Wheels	Scrapbook Royalty, Inc., dba Charity Wings
Carlsbad Educational Foundation	LightBridge Hospice Community Foundation	Senior Gleaners of San Diego County
Casa de Amparo	Living Coast Discovery Center	Serving Seniors
Center for Community Solutions	MAAC	Shep-Ty, Inc., dba Embrace
Chicano Federation	Mamas Kitchen	Solutions for Change, Inc.
Chula Vista Community Collaborative (Chula Vista Elementary School District)	Meals on Wheels San Diego County	Somali Bantu Association of America
Coastal Roots Farm	Media Arts Center San Diego	Special Delivery San Diego
Community Christian Service Agency, Inc.	Mind Treasures	Survivors of Torture, International
Community Health Systems, Inc., dba Fallbrook Family Health Center	Mountain Health & Community Services, Inc.	The Arc of San Diego
Connecting Hope CDC	Musicians for Education	The Gleaning Field Foundation
CRASH, Inc.	NAMI San Diego	The Salvation Army
Crisis House	Neighborhood Healthcare	Tradition One
Debtwave Credit Counseling Inc., dba San Diego Financial Literacy Center	Noah Homes, Inc.	UCSD Student-Run Free Clinic Project - Dental Division
Disabled Services Advisory Council	North County Health Services	Urban Corps of San Diego County
Episcopal Community Services	Operation Samahan, Inc.	Vietnam Veterans of San Diego
Fallbrook Food Pantry	Pacific Arts Movement	Vista Silver Star Foundation
Fallbrook Healthcare Foundation, dba Foundation for Senior Care	Physical Therapy for All	Write Out Loud
Family Health Centers of San Diego	Progressive Results	YMCA of San Diego County Youth & Family Services
Father Joe's Villages	Project Access, Inc.	
	Promises2Kids	
	Regional Task Force on the Homeless	
	Resounding Joy, Inc.	

# 2017 CONTRIBUTIONS

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The following is a breakdown of 2017 contributions, in addition to returned grant funding and unspent Employee Crisis Funds, which will be distributed in 2018.



CECO ENCOURAGES COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO EMPLOYEES AND RETIREES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GREAT AMERICAN TRADITION OF CHARITABLE GIVING

Employees and retirees lend a hand by donating via biweekly payroll deductions, monthly and one-time donations, volunteering, and participating in departmental fundraisers.

[Link to: How to Become a Bi-Weekly Contributor](#)

[Link to: Request for CECO Contribution for Retirees](#)

The CECO Board of Directors comprises of representatives from County of San Diego departments. The Board of Directors elects the Executive Committee, which includes the CECO Officers. The Executive Committee is responsible for the operations and management of CECO.

## CECO OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (2016-2017)

**Mavette Trinidad Sadile**

President

**Nadia Moshirian Binderup**

Vice-President

**Jessica Carlson**

Secretary

**Beverly Randolph & Detra Williams**

Co-Treasurers

**Felicia Brown Walton**

Member At Large

**James Inglis**

Member At Large

**Melissa Bartolome**

Member At Large

**Peggy Yamagata**

Member At Large, Retiree

## CECO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Denise Grove	Marianne Sterna	Vanessa Urick	Sue Spotts
Natalia Hope	Felicia Brown-Walton	Sharon Qin	Jubilee Fejaran
Nadia Moshirian Binderup	Mavette Trinidad Sadile	Ramona Kleit	Angie Gutierrez
Jerry Benson	Darah Frondarina	Chiara Leroy	Guadalupe Giraldo
Leonida Bautista	Jessica Carlson	Daria Uribe	Cory Osth
Victoria Barboza	Mary Montgomery	Beverly Randolph	Lori MacPherson
Darren Neal	Detra Williams	Jennifer Alipio	Antoinette Martin-Toler
Gaby Pugh	Elena Insunza	Kathleen Keehan	Jessica Hernandez
Susan Budzien	Jackie Hurtado	Ana Becker	Elaine Schible
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Grace Andoh	Jay Sakamoto	James Inglis	Melissa Martinez
Michelle Mowad	Kim Forrester	David Norgard	Sarah Alvarado
Roxanne Phelps	Melissa Bartolome	Shelley Williams	



# THANK YOU

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The San Diego County Employees' Charitable Organization (CECO) is grateful to its generous donors, contributors, and volunteers for allowing CECO to carry on its tradition of lending a hand to the San Diego County region for the last 61 years. Your tireless commitment and collaboration have made it possible for CECO to provide assistance to health, recreation, and human care service organizations across the region.

## 2017 Allocation Committee

Felicia Brown Walton	Norma Pugh
Vanessa Cabiling	Carra Rhamy
Jubilee Fejaran	Julian Rice
Connie Govier	Mavette Sadile
Jennifer Grefaldeo	Marianne Sterna
Jackie Hurtado	Vanessa Urick
James Inglis	Brynn Viale
Ramona Kleit	Peggy Yamagata
Mary Montgomery	Beverly Randolph
Nadia Moshirian Binderup	Mary Grace Sadile
David Norgard	

## 2017 Breakfast Awards Committee

James Inglis	Mike Davis
Melissa Bartolome	Katie Judd
Detra Williams	Mavette Sadile
Carra Rhamy	Nadia Moshirian Binderup
Kim Forrester	
Ramona Kleit	



CECO is managed entirely by  
County employees' **volunteering**  
their personal time



## Special Thank You For Supporting CECO

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